



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
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At its meeting held November 8, 2005, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“November 6th through 12th, 2005 is ‘National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week,’ which is designed to honor the role that animal shelters play in their communities and to raise awareness of the many wonderful pets that are available for adoption in animal shelters across the United States. It is also a week to celebrate all the happy pet adoptions made possible by employees and volunteers at the six Los Angeles County Animal Shelters.

“The Los Angeles County Department of Animal Care and Control operates the largest animal shelter system in California and provides food, care, shelter and comfort to injured, lost, rescued or abandoned animals. During the 2004-05 fiscal year, the Department found homes for or returned to their owners more than 20,200 dogs and 6,300 cats. The Department assisted with transporting 124 animals flown to the Los Angeles area from Hurricane Katrina and has been caring for ten of the animals in hopes that the owners can be reunited with their pets.”

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Burke, unanimously carried (Supervisor Knabe being absent), the Board proclaimed November 6 through 12, 2005 as “National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week” throughout Los Angeles County; and encouraged all residents to visit County animal shelters and give a shelter pet a loving new home.

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